

**Amendments to Specification:**

Please replace the first paragraph of page 1 with the following paragraph:

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This application is related to concurrently filed U.S. patent Application No. \_\_\_\_\_  
09/394,121 (Attorney Docket SUN1P219) entitled, "Apparatus and Methods for Preventing  
Denial of Service Attacks" by William F. Foote, which has assignment rights in common and is  
incorporated herein by reference for all purposes.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 15, Line 22 with the following paragraph:

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When a particular set of related code exceeds its maximum memory usage, mechanisms  
may be also implemented to abort the threads executing on behalf of the related code. Several  
embodiment for aborting related threads are described further in concurrently filed U.S. patent  
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